

Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108.

State Clearinghouse Number: SCH 2018022019

Project Title: Mountain County Bridge Rails (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0228-R2).

Project Location (include county): The Markleeville Creek Bridge (PL3/Bridge #31-0002) project is located along Markleeville Creek at post mile (PM) 14.69 on State Route (SR) 89 in Alpine County. The Silver Creek Bridge (PL4/Bridge # 31-0011) project is located on Silver Creek at PM 26.15 on SR 4 in Alpine County. Both projects are approximately 100 miles east of the City of Stockton.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0228-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, California Department of Transportation. The project is limited to repair or replacement of two existing bridge crossings at Markleeville Creek and Silver Creek. This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on the date signed below and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were / were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was / was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Date: 6/11/2020

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